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LIMDIS, FOR AMBASSADOR FROM NEWBERRY

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SUBJ: U.S. VISIT OF SAAD AHMAD, LABOR FEDERATION
PRESIDENT/MINISTER OF MANPOWER

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1. HAVE JUST BEEN INFORMED THAT DEPUTY SECRETARY
CHRISTOPHER WILL RECEIVE EFL PRESIDENT/MINMANPOWER
SAAD AHMAD, 1500 MONDAY, DECEMBER 5.
2. DEPARTMENT, THROUGH VARIOUS CONTACTS IN LABOR
DEPARTMENT AND AFL-CIO HAVE ALREADY, AS YOU RECOMMEND
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IN REFTTEL, URGED AFL-CIO TO BE AS FORTHCOMING AS POSSIBLE
IN ITS DEALINGS WITH AHMAD. AFL-CIO EUROPEAN RE-
PRESENTATIVE IRVING BROWN SPECIFICALLY PROMISED
EARLIER THIS WEEK TO TAKE UP SUBJECT OF ARRANGING
MEETING BETWEEN AHMAD AND AFL-CIO PRESIDENT MEANY
WITH AFL-CIO SECRETARY-TREASURER LANE KIRKLAND. IF ANYONE
IN AFL-CIO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS COMMUNITY CAN ARRANGE

SUCH A MEETING, BROWN CAN. WE HAVE NO REASON TO DOUBT
THAT SUCH A MEETING WILL NOT TAKE PLACE IN LOS ANGELES.

BROWN AND OTHERS AWARE OF PROBLEM WITH ERNIE LEE
MENTIONED IN PARA TWO REFTTEL.

3. FYI: WE UNDERSTAND THAT HISTADRUT SECRETARY
GENERAL YERUHAM MESHEL ALSO PLANNING TO ATTEND
AFL-CIO CONVENTION. ISRAEL LABOR COUNSELOR HAS INDICATED
TO NEA LABOR ADVISOR POSSIBLE INTEREST IN ARRANGING
INFORMAL NON-PUBLIC MEETING BETWEEN MESHEL AND AHMAD. VANCE

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